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Integrity without knowledge is weak and useless, and knowledge without integrity is dangerous and dreadful. — Johnson.

## POLITICS AND "POLITICS."

All this pow-wow over the Board of Health's examination for inspectors arises from a foolish interpretation of the term "politics" as much as anything else.

A larger number of our people need to learn that good politics is good government, good politics is efficient government, and the man who does good politics is not the crook and the incompetent but the kind of American citizen of which we need a steadily increasing number.

It is NOT good politics to ask the Board of Health to jeopardize the sanitation service of this city until "after the convention" or any other period in the future. It IS good politics to ask the Board of Health to adopt reasonable means for establishing the efficiency of its employees.

We have no doubt that the Republican committee understands this as well as the Governor. It is hard enough at best to secure efficient men at the low salaries paid inspectors, and it is reasonable to suppose that the Republican Committee will endeavor to place men at the disposal of the Government who will do faithfully the work they are paid to do by the taxpayers of the Territory. That work is not to get delegates to the convention.

There is too much to do in Hawaii to allow of too much time wasted fighting among ourselves.

That Commissioner is sure to have the finest kind of a time while he is here. Ray Stannard Baker could tell him that.

If George R. Carter comes back from the mainland with the news that the Roosevelt boom is a serious one, what will the Republican party of Hawaii do then?

President Hearborn is right in contesting against the folly of building a canal and accompanying it with legislation that will assist in running American ships out of business.

Governor Johnson headed for New York makes one think that another leader of the West has gone East to listen to words of wisdom and direction from the Oyster Bay candidate.

The suggestion that this Territory be represented at the International Navigation Congress by the Superintendent of Public Works would be all right if some one were needed to misrepresent the Territory.

Accepting this discussion of the new officers of the Merchants' Association as a sign of increased vigor it is a good thing, though it must be admitted that rampages do not always promote business cooperation.

Tourist business is good. But remember there will be no tourist business if the town is not kept clean. A port quarantine can do more wrecking in a shorter time than anything that is known—except possibly a revision of the tariff.

The real whip that Kuhio holds in his hand is the apparent majority in Congress ready to back his resolution for a Congressional investigation of the situation in the Territory. It is not yet determined whether he intends to make Ray Stannard Baker the secretary of the Commission.

After reading the full detail of Delegate Kuhio's charges against the

## EVENING SMILES

Bibbs—Borrowell is the sort of fellow who is always looking for trouble.  
Stobbs—Oh, I don't know. He is always anxious to dodge a creditor.

Shopman—Here is a very nice thing in revolving bookcases, madam.  
Mrs. Newrich—Oh, are these revolving bookcases? I thought they called them circulating libraries.

Flub—The man who loves a woman can't help being elevated.  
Dub—And the one who loves more than one is apt to be sent up, too.

Clinton (to Clueleigh, who is afraid to go home)—Be a man and face the music.  
Clueleigh—I don't mind the music; it's the words.

word that Mayor Fern epitomizes "being in touch with the people."

Such an assertion is a foolish, childish insult to the average citizen of this Territory who believes in straightforward, efficient Americanism in public office. It is the remark of a person who has not either the natural born sense or the experience to draw a distinction between upright, sensible politics as a science of government, and politics as interpreted by the acts of the incompetent or corrupt.

To be in touch with the people is to faithfully represent them and show a desire to know their wishes—and knowing act in accordance.

To be out of touch with the people is to attempt to dominate, to unnecessarily antagonize when no good can come of it, to ignore organization because some organizations have been evil, to deal evasively with the people and thus needlessly, oftentimes, establish distrust in the popular mind as against confidence and enthusiasm.

It is just as well to discuss these matters honestly and with reasonable calm.

The average man is going to cut some ice in the affairs of this Territory if Americanism is to be anything more than a hollow farce here. And the average man not only knows the difference between inefficiency and efficiency, but he refuses to be side-tracked by misrepresentations made for personal political purposes.

## WAR ON PUNCHBOWL

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skewers were about to do business with their anatomies, the marines remembered simultaneously that they had much engagements.

But the laynet idea made a great hit with the Jackies, and before the battle was over one marine had lost most of a finger and another had had the calf of his leg used for a pin cushion. These were the only casualties except the theoretical ones that occurred after it was all over, when the officers started to thrash out the fine points of the game.

The marines were commanded by Lieutenant Rowell, who climbed to fame by showing the superiority of mind over matter. The marines were supposed to occupy a fortified position where the old gun stands on Punchbowl's crest, while the bluejackets, starting from the ship an hour later, were supposed to dislodge them. Well, Lieutenant Rowell occupied his position, but with only about six men. The rest of the company he led around a shoulder of the hill, and while the sailors were storming the position of the dauntless six he poured a terrific volley on their unsuspecting flank.

From force of numbers the sailors probably won, although their white uniforms made the best sort of targets, and they were visible to the marines all the way up the hill, while the latter were concealed. But no one would consent to die while he had a shot left in his clip, so it was impossible to tally results by the ranks of dead.

Major C. S. Hill, fleet marine officer, umpired.

The international opium conference was opened at The Hague, with 12 nations participating.

### NOTICE.

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## REPORT MAKES WAIALUA STRONG

The reported unfavorable decision of the war department on the bill granting to John T. McCrosson and his associated water rights on the military reservation at Waiānae-uka, Oahu, is taken by sugar men as another evidence of Waiānae plantation's splendid prospects for the future, and as soon as the investing public generally understand what this decision means to Waiānae, it is expected there will be a strong demand for the stock. The water to which Mr. McCrosson was trying to get practically exclusive rights serves the Waiānae plantation fields. The report of the war department means that there will be no fight over the water rights, and that the present water system is assured. Even should the plantation have to pay the government \$50,000 or so for the use of the water, this would be little beside the big benefit to the plantation of controlling its supply.

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One sugar expert said today that Waialua is selling at bargain prices at \$126, and that it would be a splendid investment at \$10 per share more. He predicts a steady rise and declares that it will never get back to \$75 and \$80, providing the world's sugar market is not changed by any tariff on crop upheavals.

The market today was a quiet one, with Olan firm at \$5.25, and McBryde, still strong at \$8.29. Ten shares of Waialua sold at \$126, and Bremery stock was in demand at \$23. The session was rather light, thirty shares of Pioneer selling at \$210, and a 10-share block of Hilo common at \$8.62½.

## WHARF IS ASSURED

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and especially if three steamers happen to be loading and unloading at the wharf at one time, the time allowed for removing incoming cargoes is insufficient; but relying on the statement made by your board, in open meeting, that if it was found insufficient, an extension of the time required to remove cargo would be made to meet necessities, the company is willing to endeavor to comply with the rule.

Rule 4. This is so worded that it permits only three days in which to accumulate sugar on the wharf for transshipment, after which there is a demurrage charge of 25c per ton per day. As the chief business of the railroad upon the wharf will be the accumulation and delivery of sugar for shipment abroad, and such accumulation is necessary in order to insure the speedy despatch of carriers for over-sea ports, it is manifest that under the rule as at present worded, the demurrage will accrue to a prohibitive extent—in some cases probably in excess of the entire freight rate from mill to wharf. We therefore desire to suggest that Rule 4 be amended to read as follows:

"On all outgoing freights, originating on the island of Hawaii, free storage will be allowed until the proposed sugar warehouse on the wharf is constructed and equipped. When said warehouse is completed, a storage charge will be made for use of same, but every care must be exercised to prevent the storage of outgoing freight interfering with the handling of incoming cargoes.

"If said change in Rule 4 is acceptable to and adopted by your board, the railroad company will sign the contract as submitted.

"L. A. THURSTON."

There was no discussion on the matter, the board being unanimous on the question.

One curious feature of the proceedings was brought to light in connection with the regulation which the railroad company has now submitted as No. 4. When the regulations were originally drafted there was one covering this very point and which was couched in almost the identical words used by the railroad company at the present time. On its first appearance at the public meeting, however, both the contending parties were emphatic in their belief that such a regulation should be cut out. Now the railroad company is asking that this be put in, and the board has agreed to what it originally proposed.

## ONE DESERTS CLEVELAND

The official count made by Federal officials on board the German excursion steamship Cleveland last evening, just prior to the departure for San Francisco, revealed the absence of one man, connected with the fireroom of the liner.

Captain Dempwolf was appealed to. The master in turn brought the matter before his officers. A recount was then instituted, all hands being mustered, but the presence of one Carl Reinecke failed to grace the line of men belonging to the "black squad."

Reinecke is said to have dropped the hint to some congenial friends that he had a relative residing in Honolulu. He intimated that he intended to remain in the Paradise of the Pacific unless he was halted through the intervention of the strong arm of the law.

That Reinecke made good his threat is borne out by the report that he was not on board when the big Cleveland pulled away from Alakea wharf at 5 o'clock last evening, amid the blare of the Territorial and the German ship's bands.

All of the five hundred tourists were on board in ample time for a prompt departure. The sailing of the Hamburg-American liner was an animated one, and good-byes were banded from wharf to ship in profusion.

One of the incidents of the four months' trip long to be remembered by many was the spectacle of a brass band serenade on the occasion of a visit to Canton, the musicians being Chinese, playing the stirring air of "Marching Through Georgia." The patriotic American air was played in fine style, and other lively and popular melodies followed.

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## THE DR. WAS IN A CYCLONE

Dr. B. N. Alsworth, the physician of Purvis, Mississippi, writes interesting details about the cyclone that devastated that section. We quote: "I suppose you saw a notice in the papers that we had a cyclone on the 24th of May. It swept our little town about off the earth. Thank Providence, my family and self came out alive, but my drug store was swept to the winds. We are picking up slowly. I found four bottles Fulton's Renal Compound unbroken and gave them to a lady whom the other physicians had given up (kidney disease). She came to me as soon as she heard that I had returned to my practice again, and I put her on the Renal Compound and she is now nearly well. But I need more, and you will please send me another dozen of the Renal Compound from your nearest shipping point.

"In haste.  
"B. N. ALSWORTH, M. D."  
How can people who have any kind of kidney trouble expect to get well on the old futile kidney patents when the census deaths show that ninety-two out of every hundred of them passed out from a form of the disease that was incurable up to the date that Fulton worked out his Renal Compound?

Due to the fatality of the old-time kidney medicines, the kidney deaths now number one every nine minutes.

Isn't there room here for serious reflection for the man who is on his way to the drug store for a kidney medicine?

Fulton's Renal Compound can be had at all druggists.

## POLITICS BUZZING IN FEDERATION

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felt that added force will be given the movement if we support it in this way.

Among the members at large there is considerable debate as to the advisability of putting the federation on record against what it considers improper candidates. One of the members terms this "blacklisting" and fears that it may injure the federation more than it will benefit politics locally.

As soon as the form of the questions has been determined, they will be printed and sent to all members and the replies collected and classified.

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